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SUBJECT: PORT CONGESTION SURCHARGE - MUSCAT/MUTTRAH, OMAN

1. DEPARTMENT INFORMED BY THE FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION (FMC) THAT FMC RECEIVED TELEGRAPHIC FILINGS ESTABLISHING IN THE "8900" LINES FREIGHT TARIFF FMC 4 A 20 PERCENT CONGESTION SURCHARGE TO MUSCAT/MUTTRAH AND A 20 PERCENT CONGESTION SURCHARGE FROM MUSCAT IN THE "9778" RATE AGREEMENT FREIGHT TARIFF FMC 1, BOTH EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 19, 1974.

2. REQUEST CURRENT CONDITIONS AT THE SUBJECT PORTS AND ANY INFORMATION WHICH MAY INDICATE THE REASONS WHY A SURCHARGE IS NECESSARY. PLEASE DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN MUSCAT AND MUTTRAH. ARE THEY TWO SEPARATE PORTS OR IS IT ONE PORT AVAILABLE TO TWO AREAS? FMC PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN CONDITIONS AT MUTTRAH WHICH HAS PROMPTED THE LINES TO LEVY THE SURCHARGE ON A ONE-WAY BASIS. ALSO ADVISE IF ANY ACTION IS BEING TAKEN BY THE PORT AUTHORITY TO ALLEVIATE THE PROBLEMS AT THE PORT AND IF ANY FOREIGN-TO-FOREIGN CONFERENCES ARE CURRENTLY ASSESSING ANY SURCHARGE. KISSINGER

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